

Sinclair Broadcasting is planning to demand that their stations schedule (which will preempt other shows) the so-called documentary that is very much against Senator John Kerry, a definite piece of propaganda designed to impact this election. The proper place for this would be in a political ad. How is it they are able to so easily circumvent these rules?

Because Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest, I sincerely believe this is an illegal action on their part. As a very large company they control the airwaves and they control what the viewers see.

This is not what I imagine when I think of a free press in a democracy. Is it not the duty of the FCC to be a watchdog agency in this matter? Shouldn't you be able to stop this outrage, and outrageous it is.

It is not my intention to interfere with first amendment rights, but this is forced propaganda. If they want to show this, they should offer this on the open market as a video or movie, such as others have done. Michael Moore was not able to force feed his "Fahrenheit 9/11" to the American public though many did see it, but those who did not want to see this particular documentary piece did not end up a captive audience in their own homes.

It is bad enough that we are so often fed in the media from the bottom of barrel, it is incomprehensible that we should be subjected to outright propoganda as if we were in Nazi Germany.

Please consider this a letter of the strongest protest.

Sincerely,